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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the October 14, 2008 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121), copy attached, Applicants submit a new Listing of Claims for the above-identified patent application, which includes to proper status identifier "New" for all of new claims 10-18. This new Listing of Claims replaces the prior Listing of Claims filed with the September 16, 2008 Amendment. Applicants believe that the corrected section now complies with 37 CFR 1.121.

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